

**AMENDMENT
CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS
of the
SHOSHONE-PAIUTE TRIBES
of the
DUCK VALLEY RESERVATION
NEVADA**

MAY 20, 1966

AMENDMENT I

Article II of the constitution, Membership, shall be amended in its entirety to read as follows:

Section 1. The membership of the Shoshone-Paiute Tribes of the Duck Valley Reservation shall consist of the following:

- (a) All persons whose names appear on the official census roll of the Western Shoshone Reservation as of January 1, 1935; provided, that such roll may be corrected at any time with the approval of the Secretary of the interior.
- (b) All natural children of any member; provided, that such children born after the date of the approval of this amendment must possess at least $\frac{1}{4}$ degree Shoshone and/or Paiute blood to be eligible for membership.

Section 2. Notwithstanding the above membership criteria, no person shall be eligible for membership who has been allotted or possesses an assignment of land on any other Indian Reservation or colony (this does not include lands acquired through inheritance), or who is enrolled with any other Indian group.

Section 3. The business council shall have the power to promulgate ordinances, subject to the approval of the Secretary, governing enrollment procedures, loss of membership, and the adoption of new members.

Section 4. Any person refused membership by the business council shall have the right of appeal to the Secretary of the Interior.

APPROVAL

I, **Harry R. Anderson**, Assistant Secretary of the Interior of the United States' of America, by virtue of the authority granted me by the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984), as amended, do hereby approve the attached Amendment I to the Constitution and Bylaws of the Shoshone-Paiute Tribes of the Duck Valley Reservation.

Approval recommended:

S/ Robert L. Bennett
Commissioner of Indian Affairs

S/ Harry R. Anderson
Assistant Secretary of the Interior
(SEAL)

Washington, D.C.
Date: May 20, 1966